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## **Watch New CityLife: Durham Introduces New Programs to Fight Poverty**

*Airing Now on Durham Television Network and <https://youtu.be/vnEsWuG8sLA>*

In Mayor Bill Bell's State of the City Address two years ago, he made poverty reduction a long-term priority to help people living in Census Tract 10.01, which is a large section of Northeast Central Durham with high levels of residents living below the poverty line. In what has become known as the Mayor's Poverty Reduction Initiative, six task forces have been working to tackle issues ranging from jobs, public safety, finance, health, housing, and education. In this new episode, *CityLife* Host [Beverly B. Thompson](#) is joined by [City Councilmember Steve Schewel](#) and [County Commissioner Wendy Jacobs](#) to talk about projects now underway by their task forces, and how these projects will help improve the lives of many Durham residents.

### **About *CityLife***

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